## APPENDIX D (REQUIRED FORMS) EXHIBIT 9 (ATTESTATION OF WILLINGNESS TO CONSIDER GAIN/GROW PARTICIPANTS)

As a threshold requirement for consideration for Contract award, Proposer shall demonstrate a proven record for hiring GAIN/GROW participants or shall attest to a willingness to consider GAIN/GROW participants for any future employment opening if they meet the minimum qualifications for that opening. Additionally, Proposer shall attest to a willingness to provide employed GAIN/GROW participants access to Proposer's employee mentoring program, if available, to assist these individuals in obtaining permanent employment and/or promotional opportunities.

To obtain qualified GAIN/GROW participants as potential employment candidates, Contractor shall report all job openings with job requirements to: GAINGROW@dpss.lacounty.gov.

Proposers who are unable to meet this requirement shall not be considered for Contract award.

Proposer shall complete all of the following information, sign where indicated below, and return this form with the proposal.

A.	Proposer has a proven record of hiring GAIN/GROW participants.	
	YES (subject to verification by Cou	unty) NO
B.	Proposer is willing to provide County of Los Angeles Department of Public Soci Services with all job openings and job requirements to consider GAIN/GROV participants for any future employment openings if the GAIN/GROW participa meets the minimum qualifications for the opening. "Consider" means that Proposis willing to interview qualified GAIN/GROW participants.	
	YES	NO
C.	Proposer is willing to provide employed GAIN/GROW participants access to its employee-mentoring program, if available.	
	YES NO	N/A (Program not available)
Pro	pposer's Name	
Na	me of Authorized Representative	Title of Authorized Representative
Au	thorized Representative's Signature	Date